# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS
# LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2538
ANSWERED ON:08.08.2001
HINDI IN CAT
JAGDAMBI PRASAD YADAV

**Will the Minister of PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the persons who file cases under the Administrative Tribunals Act, 1985 can file their original petitions in Hindi and can also argue their case in Hindi;

(b) if so, the petitions filed originally in Hindi during the last five years, tribunal-wise;

(c) whether the Registration Office of the Central Administrative Tribunal does not accept petitions in Hindi;

(d) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(e) the interim orders/final decisions were pronounced by the Tribunal in Hindi during the last five years?

## Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF SMALL SCALE INDUSTRIES, AGRO AND RURAL INDUSTRIES, MINISTER STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PERSONNEL AND TRAINING, DEPARTMENT OF PENSIONS AND PENSIONERS WE OF THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE II DEPARTMENTS OF ATOMIC ENERGY AND SPACE. (SMT.VASUNDHARA RAJE)

(a): Rule 3(1) of the Central Administrative Tribunal (Procedure) Rules, 1987 provides that the Language of the Tribunal shall be English provided that the parties to a proceedings before the Tribunal may file documents drawn up in Hindi, if they so desire. A Bench may, in its discretion, can also permit the use of Hindi in the proceedings and a Bench, hearing the matter, may in its discretion direct English translation of pleadings and documents to be filed.

(b),(c)&(d): A statement showing bench-wise petitions filed originally in Hindi during last five years is annexed.

(e): Rule 3(1) (c) of the Central Administrative Tribunal(Procedure) Rules, 1987 provides that the Benches may, in their discretion, make final orders either in Hindi or in English. However, no interim orders/final decisions were pronounced by the Tribunal in Hindi during the last five years.

STATEMENT REFERRED IN LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2538 BY SHRI JAGDAMBI PRASAD YADAV FOR ANSWER ON 08.08.2001 SHOWING BENCH-WISE PETITIONS FILED ORIGINALLY IN HINDI DURING LAST FIVE YEARS IN THE CENTRAL ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL.

| Sl. NO. | NAME OF THE BENCH | PETITIONS FILED IN HINDI |
|---|---|---|
| 1. | PRINCIPAL BENCH | NIL |
| 2. | AHMEDABAD BENCH | NIL |
| 3. | ALLAHBAD BENCH | 3 |
| 4. | BANGALORE BENCH | NIL |
| 5. | CALCUTTA BENCH | NIL |
| 6. | CHANDIGARH BENCH | NIL |
| 7 | CHENNAI BENCH | NIL |

8. CUTTACK BENCH NIL

9. ERNAKULAM BENCH NIL
10. GUWAHATI BENCH NIL
11. HYDERABAD BENCH NIL
12. JABALPUR BENCH 3
13. JAIPUR BENCH NIL
14. JODHPUR BENCH NIL
15. LUCKNOW BENCH 1
16. MUMBAI BENCH NIL
17. PATNA BENCH NIL